

Piper Cherokee beautifully restored by Jerry & Mike

Red Deer Flying Club COPA Flight 92

March, 2010 Newsletter

Please mark your calendar or Blackberry:

The March 2010 meeting of the Flying Club will be held on March 15, the third Monday of the month, at 7:30 PM at the Club House. The program for the evening will be a selection of pictures taken by John Radomsky from his collection of trips in the North West Territories and Alaska. So be sure to come and bring a friend. John really will be here this month!

Yahoo! We had a great little Poker Rally on Sunday, February 20. The weather really favored us and four airplanes and 9 people got off the ground. The plan we had developed worked well. Lacombe and Ponoka airports were great with the wind straight down the runway. Innisfail added a little excitement as we landed with about two inches of smushed up snow on the runway. Holding the plane straight for take-off proved interesting and all went well. Back at Red Deer we had a weiner roast and presented the prize to Phillip Anderson who held the best hand (2 Jacks).

Costs for all of the utilities at the Flying Club are going up so we may need to increase membership fees next year.

At the last Executive meeting we found that there was very "luke warm" interest in planning a Rust Remover seminar to go with the Pancake Breakfast. So for this year it will just be the Pancake Breakfast (May 1) So we need to fill in the chart with names of volunteers as soon as possible. Let Dale know how you can help.

We are planning a series of flying activities for the next few months. They will happen on the Saturday or (rain date Sunday) following our regular meeting date.

So, for March we are planning a fly-out to the Reynolds Museum for Saturday, March 20. Meet at the Flying Club at 9:00 AM and leave from there. Lunch at the Museum and return about 3PM. There should be an extra seat or two for those who are not airplane owners. We hope people from Innisfail and Lacombe will go too.

In the next months we may fly out to such places as Ram Falls, Red Deer Forestry, Linden, Edmonton Muni, Hillman's, Lougheed's, Rimbey, or even Tipitinas 2 for pie in Lacombe!

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